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Title: TRANSFERRING SCHEDULING DATA  
FROM A PLURALITY OF DISK STORAGE  
DEVICES TO A NETWORK SWITCH  
BEFORE TRANSFERRING DATA  
ASSOCIATED WITH SCHEDULED  
REQUESTS BETWEEN THE NETWORK  
SWITCH AND A PLURALITY OF HOST  
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RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir,

In response to an office action mailed on 07/17/03 for the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments to the specification and consider the following remarks: